

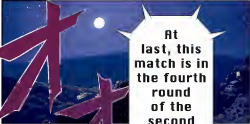


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Saki

RITZ KOBAYASHI

HAND 51: CONFUSION



At last, this match is in the fourth round of the second half!



The final hand of the game!



This prefectural team tournament has been unfolding over the past two days, and it all comes down to this!

In
the end,
which high
school will
win and
go on to
nationals
!!?





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BEST PLAYER
KOROMO
AMAE
SECOND-YEAR,
RYUMONBUCHI
HIGH SCHOOL
168,200

Ryumonbuchi
High School,
last year's
champion,
begins this
final hand
with a
formidable
lead!

NORTH PLAYER
SAKI
MIYANAGA
FIRST-YEAR,
KOTOHAKI
HIGH SCHOOL
105,700



EAST PLAYER
CREATOR
YUUKI
KAJIKI
THIRD-YEAR,
FUJISAKA
ACADEMY
90,300

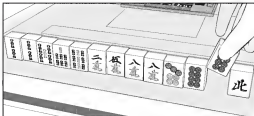
SOUTH PLAYER
KANA
IKEDA
SECOND-YEAR,
KAREKORIAN GABLE*
HYON SCHOOL
35,800

Will they
become
back-to-
back
champions
!!?



**...I
WON'T
LOSE
—!!**





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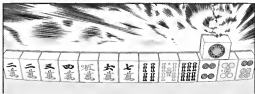




















...TWO
HANDS
AGO, SHE
TURNED
A ONE-
TILE-ARMY-
FROM-
TENPAI
AND
WORTH
2,000
INTO
24,000
POINTS
IN AN
INSTANT.



**H
O
W
E
V
E
R
...**

IN THAT CASE,
FEEDING HER
THE WINNING
TILE MATTERS
NOT...IN ALL MY
EXPERIENCE, I'VE
NEVER LOST BY
FOLLOWING MY
INTUITION LIKE
THIS.



...AN
OPPONENT
WHO COULD
BEAT ME
IF I PLAY
ACCORDING
TO MY
INTUITION
—!!



THIS
IS
THE
FIRST
TIME
I'VE
MET...



MAHJONG...
IS FUN,
ISN'T IT?







HAND 52: BLOOM







**...I
CAN
USE MY
INTUITION
TO
MAKE A
CHOICE.**



**IF I
TRUST
THE
AURA
I SENSE
COMING
FROM
KYO-
SUMI'S
TILES...**



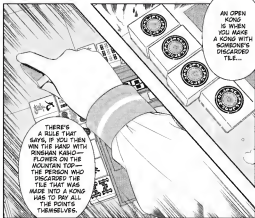
**BUT
RIGHT
NOW, I
CHOOSE
THIS.**



**...THEN,
EVEN IF IT
HELPS HER
WIN THE HAND,
THIS WILL LEAD
KOROMO TO
VICTORY!**







AN OPEN KONG
IS WHEN
YOU MAKE
A KONG WITH
SOMEONE'S
DISCARDED
TILE...

THERE'S
A RULE THAT
SAYS, IF YOU THEN
WIN THE HAND WITH
RINSHAN KAIHO—
FLOWER ON THE
MOUNTAIN TOP—
THE PERSON WHO
DISCARDED THE
TILE THAT WAS
MADE INTO A KONG
HAS TO PAY ALL
THE POINTS
THEMSELVES.



RINSHAN
KAIHO!

THEN,
IN THIS
CASE...

AKAGI
HAS TO
PAY ALL
19,000
POINTS.



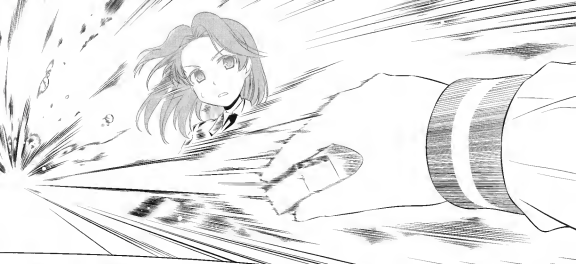


BUT IF...

*KOROMO
CHOSE TO
PLAY THE
SAME
STYLE AS
USUAL.*

*...IT
RESULTS
IN MY
DEFEAT...*







ONE
MORE
KONG!!

カ



...MIGHT
JUST BE
REBORN
—!

KORORO...



TSUMO.



**FULL
FLUSH**
...

**ALL
PUNGS.
THREE
CONCEALED
PUNGS.**

**TRIPLE
KONG.**

**ONE
RED
DORA.**

**RINSHAN
KAIHO.**





***THAT'S
32,000!***

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A
counted
yakuman
— !!

HAND 53: VICTORY



**It's the
second
counted
yakuman
during the
prefectural
qualifier
finals!**

**And it's
another
Rinshan
Kaiho!**



**This
brings the
teams
prefectural
qualifier
to its
conclusion!!**





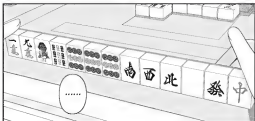
FINAL
Grand Hall of the Four Towers

Kiyosumi High School	+22800
137700	
Ryamonbuchi High School	+35000
136200	
Tsuruga Academy	-12300
90300	
Kazekoshi Girls' School	-45500
35800	

...a
comeback
victory for
Kiyosumi
High
School!!











NO MATTER
WHAT, I'M
GONNA STAY
POSITIVE...

...AND
ENJOY
EVERYTHING
I DO!















HAND 54: AFTERTASTE

















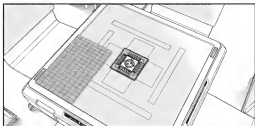


HAND 55: RAMBLINGS

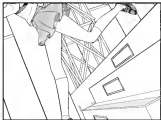




















HAND 56: NATIONALS



W T T T

GATE

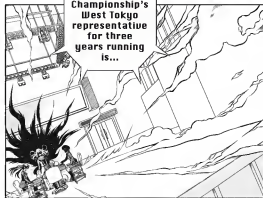


SAME DAY,
3:36 P.M.
WEST
TOKYO

The
match
is
over!!

And so, the
National
High School
Championship's
West Tokyo
representative
for three
years running
is...

...Shi-
raitodai
High
School
!!





FIRST-YEAR,
SHIRAITODAI
HIGH SCHOOL
**AOI
OHOSHI**



SECOND-YEAR,
SHIRAITODAI
HIGH SCHOOL
**TAKAMI
SHIBUYA**



SECOND-YEAR,
SHIRAITODAI
HIGH SCHOOL
**SEIKO
MATANO**

While even
Shiraitodai's
second
stringers
are said
to be good
enough to
represent the
prefecture,
this "Team
Torahime"
is in a class
by itself!



THIRD-YEAR,
SHIRAITODAI
HIGH SCHOOL
**SUMIRE
HIROSE**



And their
leader
stands at
the summit
of all ten
thousand
high
school
players!

Her
name is
synony-
mous
with "high
school
nationals"
...!

The
current
high
school
champion
—





Teru
Miya-
naga!!

They're
looking to
make history
by becoming
the first
ever to win
the national
championship
three years
in a row!!

THIRD-YEAR
MIDAGITODA
HIGH SCHOOL
TERU
MIYANAGA



**SAME DAY,
3:30 P.M.
EAST
TOKYO**



**WE'VE
JUST HIT-
NEEDED
THE BIRTH
OF EAST
TOKYO'S
STRONGEST
TEAM!!**

**AND
THERE
IT IS!!**

**DINKAI
GIRL'S HAS
REPRESENTED
THIS AREA
FOR THE PAST
FIFTEEN
YEARS!**

**ANALYST/
MANAGING PRO
SUKOYA
KOKAJI**

**COMMENTATOR/
ANNOUNCER
KOKO
FUKURYO**

Broadcasting Room





THIRD-YEAR,
BINGKAI GIRLS'
**SATOKA
TSUJIGAITO**

THERE'S
TSUJIGAITO,
THE ONLY
JAPANESE
PLAYER ON
THE TEAM, WHO
TOOK THIRD IN
LAST YEAR'S
SINGLES
TOURNAMENT
—



DAVIN
FROM THE
U.S.A., WHO'S
PARTICIPATED
IN THE TEAM
TOURNAMENT
SINCE LAST
YEAR...

THEN
THERE'RE
THREE NEW
SCHOLARSHIP
STUDENTS,
WHO HAVE
DRAWN
ATTENTION
WORLD-
WIDE...

HAO,
FROM HONG
KONG, WON A
SILVER MEDAL
AT THE ASIAN
TOURNAMENT
IN INCHON.

FIRST-YEAR,
BINGKAI GIRLS'
**HUIYU
HAO**

THIRD-YEAR,
BINGKAI GIRLS'
**MEGAN
DAVIN**

A black and white manga-style illustration of a young woman with long, light-colored hair and bangs. She is wearing a dark sailor-style uniform with a white collar and a white tie. She is holding a sword hilt with both hands. The background shows a geometric pattern, possibly a window or a wall.

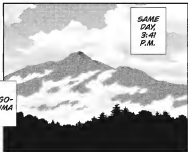
**SECOND-YEAR,
RINKAI GIRLS'**
**MYEONGHWA
CHOI**

MYEONGHWA CHOI,
A SCHOLARSHIP
STUDENT FROM FRANCE,
IS AN INTERNATIONALLY-
RANKED PLAYER. AT THE
EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP,
SHE EARNED THE
NICKNAME "VENTER"—
THE "DIVINE WIND"......

A black and white manga-style illustration of a young woman with short, dark hair and bangs. She is wearing a dark sailor-style uniform with a white collar and a white tie. She is holding a sword hilt with both hands. The background shows a geometric pattern, possibly a window or a wall.

**VIRSALADZE
FROM SAKARTVELO,
A.K.A. GEORGIA,
MADE A NAME FOR
HERSELF IN THE
WORLD JUNIOR
TOURNAMENT.**

**FIRST-YEAR,
RINKAI GIRLS'**
**NELLY
VIRSALADZE**





A...a
direct
yakuman
hit ends
the game
!!

The
prefectural
qualifier is
over without
even getting
to the final
players in
the fifth
round.

For the
second
year in a
row, Eisui
Girls' will
represent
Kagoshima
!!



THIRD-YEAR,
EISUI GIRLS'
**HATSUMI
USUZUMI**





AH...

AS
A PRO,
WHAT
DO YOU
THINK,
ONUMA-
SAN?

APPARENTLY,
USUZUMI
WING MANY
HANDS
WHEN SHE'S
THE NORTH
PLAYER.



THE
DEMON'S
GATE...



THE
EXPOSED
BY THE
NORTH
PLAYER
RESIDE
BETWEEN
THE EAST
AND
NORTH
SEATS...

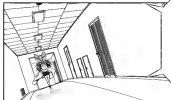


...USU-
ZUMI'S
REAR
DEMON'S
GATE HAS
DECIDED
THE
MATCH!!



THEN THE
REST OF
THE TILES
ARE THE
REAR
DEMON'S
GATE...

I
DON'T
REALLY
GET IT...
BUT,
UM.....



**Eisui
Girls' will be
going to
nationals
again!!**



NICE JOB,
HAT-
CHAN!

I'M
BACK!

SHOOIN
OUT
THAT!



IS THE
PRINCESS
RESTING?

YEAH—
LIKE
USUAL.

THIRD-YEAR,
EISUI GIRLS'
**TOMOE
KARIJUKU**







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**WHETHER
OR NOT
KOROMO
IS ALL
ALONE.....**







ABOUT THAT...

AREN'T YOU "FRIENDS" WHO TOKA BROUGHT TOGETHER FOR KOROBO'S SAKE?



ARE YOU SAYING WE'RE NOT YOUR FRIENDS?



...AS FRIENDS AND FAMILY...

EVEN IF IT STARTED OUT LIKE THAT, KOROBO, I THINK OF YOU AND THE OTHERS ...



THE CIRCUMSTANCES AREN'T IMPORTANT.



IS THAT WRONG?

!!











**THE
WALL
IS
GONE—**



**IT'S
LIKE
HEAVEN
AND
EARTH**

...

**...ARE
OVER-
FLOWING
WITH
HOPE.**











TEN DAYS
LATER—









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FOR
AGREEING
WITH THE
IDEA OF A
COMBINED
TRAINING
CAMP...

...AND...



...FOR
SHOWING UP
HERE ALL
TOGETHER...











SHIN EDITION























WIFE RATTLE











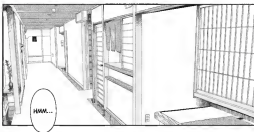
HAND 59: SUDDEN CHANGE





























RICH, ALL
SIMPLE,
AND ALL
SEQUENCES
WITH TWO
PORA—!











KYOSUMI
...?



KYOSUMI BEAT
RYUMONBUCHI.

NOT
RYUMON-
BUCHI?



I AM
HAVING
DE-
GRETS.



EAST TOKYO
REPRESENTATIVE
THIRD-YEAR,
RINKAI GIRLS'
**SATOKA
TSUJIGAITO**

YOU
REALLY
ARE INTO
HER,
HUH?

THAT
IS TOO
BAD...

YES.

EAST TOKYO
REPRESENTATIVE
THIRD-YEAR,
RINKAI GIRLS'
**MEGAN
DAVIN**



WHILE
PLAYING
HER LAST
YEAR, SHE
SUDDENLY
CHANGED.



SO
YOU
RAN
AWAY.



I REDIRECTED
MY ATTACK
AND KNOCKED
OUT SAPPORO
GIRLS!



THIS YEAR,
I KNOW
I COULD FACE
HER HEAD-ON
AND BEAT HER,
BUT LAST YEAR,
I FLINCHED.

THAT'S
RIGHT



Toka Ryumonbuchi	Rei Arima		
+41	+34	+6	235
+47	-18	-19	+4
+45	-30	-32	
+42	+1		

SHE BECAME FRIGHTENING.

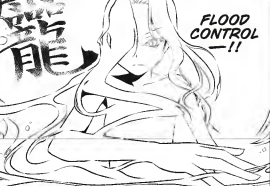
HAND 60: AMBUSH













バサッ









WE
CAME
TO SEE
YOU!



WHO
ARE
YOU...?

WH—



MAHO-
CHAN!

THE
MURO-
MAHO
COMBO!



HI-
HELLO...

THIRD-YEAR
STUDENT,
TAKATSUBASHI
MIDDLE SCHOOL
**HIROKO
MUROHASHI**

SECOND-
YEAR STUDENT,
TAKATSUBASHI
MIDDLE SCHOOL
**MAHO
YUMENO**







~~~~~

THERE  
ARE  
MORE...



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Saki 7





BM?

WHA  
WHA  
WHA

I  
SMELL  
MOMO  
NEARBY  
!!

SIDE STORY: TSURUGA EXTRA







!

I REMEMBER  
QUITE A  
BIT  
ABOUT  
YOU,  
SATOMI-  
CHAN...

IT'S HARD  
ENOUGH TO  
REMEMBER YOUR  
OWN PAST, LET  
ALONE ANYONE  
ELSE'S.



YOU  
BET I DO,  
YOU

LIKE WHEN  
YOU WERE IN  
KINDERGARTEN

OR  
ELEMENTARY  
SCHOOL

I  
WONNA  
HEAR  
SOME  
THING  
LIKE  
THAT,  
YOU



COME  
TO THINK OF  
IT, FORMER  
CAPTAIN  
KANBARA,  
YOU'VE KNOWN  
KAZUKI-SENPAI  
FOR A LONG  
TIME, RIGHT?

MM?



LONGER  
THAN  
YOU...

YOU  
WONNA  
HEAR  
SOME-  
THING  
ABOUT  
HER  
FROM  
BACK  
THEN?



TWO  
YEARS  
AGO...

SO  
THIS IS  
THE HIGH  
SCHOOL  
FLOOR...

I'M  
THE  
FIRST  
ONE  
HERE!

TWO YEARS AGO  
FIRST-YEAR,  
FUGURUA ACADEMY  
SATOMI  
KANBARA



TWO YEARS AGO  
FIRST-YEAR,  
TEIKOKU ACADEMY  
YUMI  
KAJIKI!

WA-NA...



AND I  
THOUGHT  
A GOOPY  
AIRHEAD  
HAD JUST  
WALKED  
IN.

I CAN  
KIND OF  
PICTURE  
IT.

I THOUGHT  
SHE WAS  
A FOUR  
SOURPUSS...







WE WERE TOTALLY DISORGANIZED AT FIRST, BUT I WAS SURPRISED HOW KANBARA MANAGED TO BRING EVERYONE TOGETHER WITH HER EASYGOING PERSONALITY AND SLAPDASH MANNER.



IT WAS ONLY A BIG HIT, THOUGH, BECAUSE YOU PICTURED THE WHOLE THING AND DESIGNED THE ROUTE, YUJI-CHUN.



COME TO THINK OF IT, SOME PEOPLE CLAIMED THEY SAW A GHOST IN A SAILOR UNIFORM BACK THEN...



DON'T TELL ME THAT WAS MOMO...



WAS THERE ONLY ONE HAUNTED HOUSE AT THE TOSURUGA FESTIVAL TWO YEARS AGO?

YEAH.

I WENT IN! IT WAS AWESOME, YOI!







...YOU  
FORMED  
THE  
AMALGAMS  
CLUB  
AFTER  
THAT?

THEN...

YEAR



TODAY...  
I HAD A LOT  
TO DO OVER  
WITH THE NEXT  
CAPTAIN,  
TSUYAMA.

I'LL  
SEE.



IT'S  
BEEN A  
FULFILL-  
ING TWO  
YEARS.

SPECIALLY  
EVER SINCE  
GATHERING  
THE MEMBERS  
FOR OUR TEAM  
TOURNAMENTS







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LATER

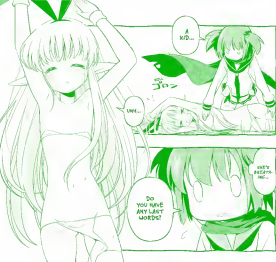
I HAD BEEN  
KIDNAPPED  
BY CAPT. BUT  
NOW I WAS  
WANDERING  
AROUND THE  
BORDERLAND  
ALONE.

BURAP

THE  
CHOICE  
OF A  
TRAVELER

...AND A  
FRIEND  
ONE AT  
THAT.





TO BE CONTINUED!

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